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**PETITION FOR REVIVAL OF AN APPLICATION FOR PATENT ABANDONED  
UNINTENTIONALLY UNDER 37 CFR 1.137(b)**Docket Number (Optional)  
**BBNT-P01-318**

First named inventor: Jerry D. Burchfiel

Application No: 09/533467

Art Unit: 2663

Filed: March 23, 2000

Examiner: M. Emdadi

Title: METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR DETECTING UNRELIABLE OR COMPROMISED  
ROUTER/SWITCHES IN LINK STATE ROUTING

MS Petition

Commissioner for Patents  
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Alexandria, VA 22313-1450NOTE: If information or assistance is needed in completing this form, please contact Petitions  
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action by the United States Patent and Trademark Office. The date of abandonment is the day after the expiration  
date of the period set for reply in the Office notice or action plus any extensions of time actually obtained.**APPLICANT HEREBY PETITIONS FOR REVIVAL OF THIS APPLICATION**

NOTE: A grantable petition requires the following items:

- (1) Petition fee;
- (2) Reply and/or issue fee;
- (3) Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee – required for all utility and plant applications filed before June 8, 1995; and for all design applications; and
- (4) Statement that the entire delay was unintentional.

## 1. Petition fee

 Small entity – fee \$ \_\_\_\_\_ (37 CFR 1.17(m)). Applicant claims small entity status.  
See 37 CFR 1.27. Other than small entity – fee \$ 1,500.00 (37 CFR 1.17(m))

## 2. Reply and/or fee

A. The reply and/or fee to the above-noted Office action in  
the form of An Amendment after Final and RCE (identify type of reply):

- has been filed previously on \_\_\_\_\_
- are enclosed herewith.

B. The issue fee of and publication fee (if required) \$ \_\_\_\_\_

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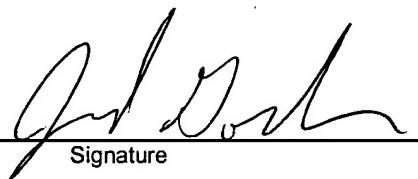
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## 3. Terminal disclaimer with disclaimer fee

- Since this utility/plant application was filed on or after June 8, 1995, no terminal disclaimer is required.
- A terminal disclaimer (and disclaimer fee (37 CFR 1.20(d)) of \$ \_\_\_\_\_ for a small entity or \$ 130.00 for other than a small entity) disclaiming the required period of time is enclosed herewith (see PTO/SB/63).

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